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For: **PROCESS FOR PREPARING
SULFONAMIDE-CONTAINING INDOLE
COMPOUNDS**

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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated September 12, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.